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Jefferson City, Mo., Special-The Missouri Legislature is now in session in Jeffersion City. Many imp rtant bills are coming up for discussion. but the dominant idea in the minds of the students, and those directly interested in the welfare of Lincoln Institute, is the appropriation bill for the mainte nance of this institution for the ensuing two years.

Missouri has always been liberal in its support of the Institute and there is every reason to believe that the liberality which has paid such excellent dividends to the State in the way of in telligent citizenship will be continued by this Legislature.

President Allen is making an excellent record with the Board of Regents. and law makers, as a wise financier, as a man of first-rate executive ability, and judgement, in all matters pertaining to school management.

Detachments of legislators frequently visit the Institute, and to a man each one exprested himself as agreeably surprised at the character of the work that is being accomplished; the number of students in attendance; their general bearing; the sppearance of the buildings, etc.

Active preparations are now being made for the concert, which is to be given by the students at an early date, probably in the Hail of the House of R presentatives.

These concerts are looked forward to with much interest by the law-makers and their families, the citizens of Jeffson city, etc.

Although a state school, relgious instruction is not lost sight of in Lincoln Institute. On the character, care ful attention is paid to this matter through the Aftern on Sunday service held in the school Auditorium. At tendance upon this service is compulsory, but the sermon and other expercises are to full of interest that there is no friction in the matter. The Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. Societies are very active, and composed of the be students.

In the recent revival conducted outside of school hours under the auspice of these societies, forty convert are Itported. Religious enthusiasm has not yet abated, and this number is likely to be largely increased.

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The Hackley recital of classic songs will be given Friday evening, F bruary 27, at 8 o'clock. All seats are reserved and the number of tickets issued is limited to the seating capacity. of the church Holf thot number habeen sold, so that those who desire to purchase one are adviced to do so at once. Tickets for a eat the office of the Record and by members of the

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